

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Patent Application of: :
Abarghaz et al. : **Group Art Unit: 1624**
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 Serial No.: **10/582,131** :
 : **Examiner: Bruck Kifle**
 Filed: **June 8, 2006** :
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 Title: **BENZO11,4-DIAZEPIN-2-ONE** :
DERIVATIVES AS PHOSPHODIESTERASE :
PDE2 INHIBITORS, PREPARATION AND :
THERAPEUTIC USE THEREOF :
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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION

Sir:

It is requested that the three-month shortened statutory period set for responding to the Office Action dated **October 19, 2007**, be extended for an additional two-month period to and including **March 19, 2008** pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

Please charge our Deposit Account No.: 03-3839 to cover the herein-requested Two Month Extension of Time. No additional fees are believed to be necessitated by the instant response. However, should this be in error, authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account No. 03-3839 for any underpayment, or to credit any overpayments. This Petition is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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